THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) 7500 Sq. Ft. at monthly rent of Rs. 33,500-/

Petrol/Diesel Retail Outlets in Karnataka

4713. SHRIMATI CHANDRA PRABHA URS: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of petrol/diesel retail outlets in Karnataka, district wise; and

(b) the number of new petrol outlets sanctioned in Mysore city from January 1991 till date and locations thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHAN KUMAR): (a) There were 925 Petrol/Diesel Retail Outlets in Karnataka as on 1.10.1991. Only the statewise details is maintained by Government.

(b) None, Sir.

Crop Insurance Scheme

4714. SHRI B. DEVARAJAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the area covered so far under the Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme, State–wise; and

(b) the area proposed to be covered under the Scheme during the current year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN) (a) A statement is attached.

(b) The Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme (CCIS) is a voluntary scheme. Implementing States/U.Ts. are free to implement it in any area. Accordingly, no statewise targets for area coverage are fixed under the Scheme. However, at national level a target of covering 80 lakh ha. area has been fixed for 1991–92 under the CCIS.

The Area Covered Under the Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme (CCIS) from Kharif 1985 to Kharif 1991.

Sl. No.	*Name of State/ U.T.*	*Area Covered (in Ha.)*
1.	Andhra Pradesh	9032930.00
2.	Assam	77551.84
3.	Bihar	2373301.64
4.	Goa	9707.06
5.	Gujarat	9625569.00
6.	Himachal Pradesh	22306.70